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FOR PULSE MODULATION :

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

Please amend the above-identified patent application prior to receipt of an office action as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Cancel Claims 1 through 31 of the substitute specification without prejudice.

Add new Claims 32 through 61 as follows: